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Delegates to Confederate Reunion.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—The annual reunion of Confederate veterans, which opened yesterday at the National Armory, was attended by delegates from all the Southern States and many foreign countries.

Public Accepts Invitation to Palace.
BALTIMORE, Sept. 25.—(Special.)—The public acceptance of the invitation to the Palace of the Maryland State Fair, which was held yesterday, was a success.

BAD BREATH

Do not let your breath be a source of trouble. Use **WATERBURY'S** breath mint. It is the only one that is both effective and pleasant. It is made of the finest ingredients and is guaranteed to give you a fresh, clean breath.

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REBATE TAKERS MUST STAND TRIAL

Department of Justice, as Matter of Consistency, Is to Push Cases, and Paul Morton's Brother Stands in Danger.

The Republic Bureau, Washington, Sept. 25.—It is strongly intimated in Washington that the Department of Justice will take action against the shippers who, in connection with railroads, have been involved in rebating.

This course would draw into court Joy Morton, brother of Paul Morton, as well as such notable Chicago millionaires as the Deering and McCormick families.

Joy Morton would be connected through the well-known Hutchinson salt case, in which Paul Morton's road, the Santa Fe, gave rebates to the salt company. The International Harvester Company would concern the Deering and McCormick families.

Milton D. Purdy, assistant to the Attorney General, was back at his desk today after a long trip to Europe. Mr. Purdy is interested with the prosecution of the rebate cases undertaken by the Government.

He said this afternoon that he expects shortly to go to Missouri for the trial of the suits instituted against the Santa Fe in connection with the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company. He will also push to a definite outcome the similar suits which are pending against other railroads.

Suits are pending against the Burlington, the Chicago and Alton, and the Illinois Northern, the latter of which is a short belt line railroad, which was organized by the Harvester Trust as a rebating device. Suits against the railroads, based on the Hutchinson salt case, are also awaiting action.

The President, in dealing with the subject, when it was up at the time the Department of Justice parted company with its special counsel, F. N. Judson and Judson Harmon, ordered the Department of Justice to prosecute all the rebate cases.

Such, the President said, was necessary to a square deal. Now it has been put up to the administration as to whether the square deal does not also require action against favored shippers who accept the rebates.

Convictions by indictment and assessment of heavy fines against four officers of the Schwartz-Schubert Packing Company in the Beef Trust case, are based upon violations of the Elkins law quite similar to those committed by the Harvester Trust, Joy Morton's salt company and the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company.

Mr. Purdy would not discuss to-day the Government's intentions toward these shippers, but there is reason to believe that the administration has been forced, as a matter of consistency, to consider seriously the question of taking aggressive steps.

Of course, procedure against the shippers would have to be along lines different from that adopted to reach the railroads. The latter were under injunction in the case of the rebates, and are summoned for contempt. To get at the shippers the Government would be compelled to undertake direct prosecutions under the Elkins law.

Miss Dixie Tuttle's trial is postponed to October 2.

Hearings—Probably will be held in Mexico—Mailing of Other Letters Continues to Come to Light.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Mexico, Mo., Sept. 25.—Judge Robertson, Miss Dixie Tuttle's attorney, and Horace Dyer, Assistant United States District Attorney, are trying to have the trial of Miss Tuttle postponed to October 2.

The trial was postponed to to-day until October 2, by agreement of the attorneys on both sides.

Both Judge Robertson and Assistant District Attorney Dyer are in the city here, and Commissioner Thompson of Montgomery City will most likely accede to their wish.

Anonymous letters signed "Charles" were sent to Miss Tuttle as late as last week, and it is believed that the letters were sent to her by the man who is believed to have been the author of the letters.

ASSOCIATE CITY COUNSELOR
W. F. WOERNER RESIGNS.

Desired to Re-enter Private Practice and Mayor to Name Successor To-day.

Mayor Wells late yesterday afternoon announced the resignation of William F. Woerner, city counselor, and named to his place, Mr. W. F. Woerner's successor to the city council.

Mr. Woerner's resignation comes as a surprise to everyone in the city hall, as he has been in the city hall for several years and is well known to everyone.

"I am sorry to leave my associates here," said Mr. Woerner, "but I have been wanting for several months to get back into private practice. The Mayor has been aware of my intention for some time."

FREIGHT CAR JUMPS RAILS.
BUT TAKES TRACK AGAIN.

"Oh Again, Oh Again" Is the Frenchish Experience of Loaded Gondola on Blue Line.

A carload of coal in a Blue Line freight train, performing a freak act by jumping the rails near the C. & O. St. Louis roundhouse, was brought back on the main line without having done any damage.

The car was in the middle of the train and it is believed that it was the cause of the car leaving the rails, as the freight happened at the front. When the car left the rails, the highway crossing, which was in the middle of the crossing, was further north. It ran onto the rails again.

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We will deliver a Diamond or a Watch on credit. We are the only Diamond Cutters and Watchmakers in St. Louis. Let us show you our goods.

TEN WATCHMEN GUARD GOODS.
Constables Have Trouble in Serving Writ in Suit.

Ten watchmen were employed by Constable Kinney to guard property worth \$10,000 in the suit of M. J. Gardiner, a Chicagoan, against Gast, Boudreau, a Frenchman, who conducts a grocery and salaried at No. 200 North Fourth street.

When Constable Kinney and his deputy, William Kinney, went to serve the writ of replevin, which was issued by the court, they found the property guarded by ten watchmen.

The man was discharged and the Constable took possession.

Several Greek friends of Boudreau gathered around the officers in a threatening manner. It is stated, that they drew their pistols and fired a few shots to frighten the officers.

His action had the desired effect and the Greek watchmen were dispersed.

Because of the trouble four watchmen were placed in charge and the Constables were placed in charge and the Constables were placed in charge.

About 2 o'clock Saturday morning several Greeks appeared. The watchmen, fearing trouble, communicated with the Constable, who sent six more men, who remained with the other four until the goods were turned over to Gardiner.

BEAUTY DOCTOR DISTRESSED.
Declares He Is Not Connected With Corset Demonstration.

Doctor Christian, who has been advertising lectures on beauty culture at the Odéon Theater this afternoon and tomorrow, said last night that he was much distressed because some of his patrons have received the impression, which he declares is erroneous, that he is connected with the promoters of a new cut of corsets who are to give demonstrations in another hall of the same building.

Doctor Christian asserted that he had been kept busy at his telephone the greater part of the day answering inquiries from women who had planned to hear his lecture, but had no desire to hear the virtues of the newest "shape" articles by sellers of stays.



Princess Gown on extreme left, \$328. Gown next to it, \$178.

Paris Waists for the V. P. Ball
Prices range from \$7.50 to \$19.75.

MOST of the high-class waists that we are showing this season, ranging in price from \$12.50 and up, were imported by us direct from Paris. They are the products of the foremost designers in the world. We selected what we thought were their cleverest creations. The designs are exclusive with us. Many of them were not received in time for our opening and will be shown to-day for the first time. They are made of Allover Laces, Baby Irish Laces, Taffetas, Chiffon Cloths, Radium, Crepes and Nets. Prices range from \$7.50 to \$19.75.

Gloves for the V. P. Ball

12-button length Suede Mousquetaire Gloves; in pink, blue, Nile, white and black; at \$2.00 per pair.

8-button length Suede Mousquetaire Gloves in tan, brown, white and black; at \$1.75 per pair.

16-button length Suede Mousquetaire Gloves in pink, blue, Nile, white and black; at \$2.50 per pair.

20-button length Suede Mousquetaire Gloves; in white and black; at \$3.00 per pair.

12-button length Kayser Silk Mousquetaire Gloves; in pink, Nile, blue, red, canary, white and black; with double finger tips; at \$1.00 per pair.

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KIRKWOOD SCORES
IN MERMUD CASE

Judge McElhinney Quashed Certiorari Proceedings Upon the Matter of Taxes for Public Sewers, Brought Last Summer.

Judge McElhinney, in Clayton, yesterday quashed the certiorari proceedings of the Mermud estate against the city of Kirkwood and three of the officers, Mayor C. B. Ricker, City Clerk A. G. Hawken and City Collector Ralph Paget.

The suit was brought after the suit for public sewers, brought by the city of Kirkwood against the Mermud estate, was not because of irregularity in the proceedings leading up to the laying of the tax.

Judge McElhinney quashed the suit for three reasons.

First—the ground that proceedings of this nature can be brought only by two judicial bodies, and Kirkwood is not a judicial body.

Second—the proceedings were brought against the Board of Aldermen, who were to blame for the irregularity, if any irregularity was committed, but against the city of Kirkwood and three of its officers, neither of which parties had committed any irregularity.

Third—if the proceedings were brought against the Board of Aldermen, the action complained was legislative and not judicial.

The quashing of the proceedings is held to be of great importance to the majority of the taxpayers of Kirkwood, as suits of this nature are reported to have been pending.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY NOTES.

Ames Dair, a saloonkeeper at Page and Ferguson avenues, gave bond before Justice Barron yesterday to answer to a charge of selling liquor on Sunday. The information was sworn to by Police Officer Dyer of St. Louis. J. B. Mueller, who keeps a saloon on Delmar avenue, near Sixth street, also gave bond to answer to the same charge made by Police Officer William H. Pines. The police charge that the defendants kept their places open after 12 o'clock Saturday night.

James Taylor pleaded guilty to a charge of common assault in the Clayton Circuit Court yesterday and was sentenced to thirty days in jail by Judge McElhinney.

The two-story frame house of James Pailharry of Portman was burned Sunday night at 10 o'clock. The flames were started by the upsetting of a coal-oil lamp. The family, with the exception of Mrs. Pailharry, had retired, but the members thereof were not asleep and escaped without trouble. Part of the furniture was saved. The damage is estimated at about \$1000.

Marshall Index is Suspended.
LAWSON, Sept. 25.—General R. C. Horse of this city, who on Saturday bought from Doctor C. J. Blackburne the fair and weekly Index, failed to take possession this morning as announced in the columns of the Index Sunday. Doctor Blackburne will suspend the publication of both the weekly and daily and move the plant to Blackburne, where he owns the Blackburne Herald.



Grand-Leader invites your inspection of its Large and magnificent assemblage of GOWNS, WRAPS, WAISTS, LACE ROBES, GARNITURES, and other accessories you will require for the VEILED PROPHET BALL

and directs your attention to the very low prices that are attached to these high-class garments. EVENING GOWNS, WRAPS AND WAISTS.

WE urge your inspection of the many handsome models we are showing, and those who are not provided for this greatest of all social functions in the City of St. Louis will find it advisable to make their selections immediately. It matters not whether you desire a popular-priced or something in a very high-class evening gown, wrap or waist, we are best prepared to serve you in either case.

If you delay your selection much longer there may not be time for alterations should they be necessary. Below we describe a few garments and request you to note how exceedingly moderate they are priced:

GOWNS OF CREPE DE CHINE in several pretty models; colors are white, pink, blue, helio and champagne; trimmed with laces and shirring; entirely made over taffeta silk; at—\$24.75.

GOWNS OF TAFFETA or Crepe de Chine in all the evening shades; new lace yoke effect, also bertha effect; all variously trimmed with shirring, laces, tucks and plaits; with deep girdle effect; entirely made over taffeta silk; at—\$37.50.

EVENING GOWNS OF CREPE DE CHINE, Allover Lace, Radium and Nets; decollete or high neck. There are twelve different models in this collection; superb values; at—\$49.75.

STUNNING EVENING GOWNS, \$75.00 to \$350.00. THIS collection embraces our highest class imported gowns. They are models that have won the admiration of fashionable St. Louis. Materials Radium Silk, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon Cloth, Spangled Nets, Allover Laces and Baby Irish; in the new Princess style or two-piece effect; prices range from \$75.00 up to \$350.00.

Lace Robes, Collars, Boleros, Etc. THE pre-eminence of our Lace Department is established beyond question, and each season finds us further in the lead. This year we are showing a more extensive variety of Robes, Lace Coats, Garnitures, etc., than we have ever shown, and as we buy these goods from first hands, we are in a position to quote prices that are absolutely the lowest.

Demi-made Ball Dresses; twelve exquisite models. The skirt is practically made; the corsage designed for either high neck or decollete; exquisite creations; materials finest quality Radium, Mousseline, Drapery Nets, Chiffons, Spangled and Embroidered Tissues, in white, brown, blue, orange, etc.; trimmed with finest laces, sequins, or new Chiffon Flowers; all exclusive styles; values range from \$50.00 to \$100.00. Choice at \$38.00.

Paris and Plauen Robes and Allover Lace Robes; in white and ecru; with two and three founces; trimmed with medallions; also some Spangled Robes in black and pearl, white and silver, white and gold, white and sky, gold and rose spangles; sixteen in the lot; choice \$100.00.

Real Irish Crochet Jackets, Boleros and Garnitures. THE most beautiful goods we have ever shown; the latest Parisian fashions for afternoon or evening wear. The prices are exceptionally low.

Real handmade Irish Crochet Collars, Garnitures and Yokes at \$6.00 to \$25.00.

Real handmade Irish Crochet Boleros at \$25.00 to \$45.00.

The new Dairry Scarfs; in white, pink, blue, Nile, rose and pompadour effects; 3 yards long; very effective for evening wear; at \$6, \$10.00 and \$15.00.

Finest Point Gause Scarfs; 3 yards long; ranging in value up to \$10.00; at \$2.50.

Point Gause Lace Scarfs; trimmed with most beautiful Point Venise; worth \$1.50; at 40c.

The latest creations in women's fancy Neck Pieces as well as new pompadour Neck Ruching with velvet bows; in white and all the fancy shades; made of the finest Silk Maline.

Special—A lot of Boleros with full puff elbow sleeves; very fluffy lace styles; in black and colored spangles; at \$20.00.

Evening Caps for \$9.95 WERE it not for our unsurpassed buying facilities, these evening caps could not be sold for such a nominal figure. Many of them are made of fine materials; in light and dark evening shades; with hood lined with light satin; cord and tassel fasteners—\$9.95.

Evening Wraps for \$19.75 A LARGE selection of three-quarter length Coats of Broadcloth; in white, pink, blue, lavender and champagne; collarless styles; trimmed with silk braid; lined with guaranteed white satin; all sizes for Women and Misses; very special values—at \$19.75.

EVENING Wraps of Broadcloth; in white, blue, champagne and black; also of Taffeta and Peau de Soie; several beautiful models; the new Empire effect; with three-quarter or full length sleeves. These wraps come in three-quarter and seven-eighth lengths; all colors and all sizes; excellent models; very special values—\$27.50.

Evening Wraps, \$49.75 to \$175.00 THE most gorgeous creations that have ever been shown in this city are here. Wraps of the finest Broadcloths in white and all the pastel shades, also black—Wraps of Silk—Wraps of Velvet—Wraps of the finest handmade Laces; some embroidered, others braid trimmed; regal elegance; in Empire or graceful enveloping affairs that will carefully guard your frocks and person; prices from \$49.75 to \$175.00.

Dainty Footwear for the V. P. Ball IF you would be correctly shod at a minimum cost, make your selection from Grand-Leader's superb stock. We offer a complete line of patent leather Oxfords and Pumps, also Strap Slippers; in all the newest styles, at \$3.00 pair. These are of special good quality. At \$2.00 a pair we offer a splendid line of women's patent leather Slippers and Pumps; the designs are the very newest; all sizes.

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WASHERWOMAN'S DAUGHTER IS DEARER THAN HIS TITLE.

Berlin, Sept. 25.—The hereditary Count Francis von Erbach-Erbach, the second son of the head of the second branch of the ancient house of Erbach in Hesse, has been named as the successor of his father, according to the Tagblatt, for having married the daughter of a washerwoman of Erbach.

The marriage, it is added, took place in Leipzig. Count Francis, the second son of the head of the second branch of the ancient house of Erbach in Hesse, has been named as the successor of his father, according to the Tagblatt, for having married the daughter of a washerwoman of Erbach.

The Count decided that, under the laws of the house, Count Francis had forfeited his right to succeed to his father and was elected to succeed him Count Derrard, who is 15 years old and second son of Count Arthur, the eldest living brother of the chief of this branch of the family.

REPORTS CHINESE BOYCOTT IS PRACTICALLY ENDED.

Consul Rogers From Shanghai Says Trade in American Products is Readily Resuming.

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